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Minnesota Public Library Statistics 1980

Introduction by
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This issue of Minnesota Libraries reports public library statistics for the library fiscal year ending during the calendar year 1980. In most cases, the library fiscal year coincides with the calendar year, and in all cases the statistics are comparable with those published for the past eighty years.

Statistics were gathered on forms distributed in January, 1981, to all Minnesota public libraries. Information reported is that supplied by each library. Returned forms were checked by Jan Feye-Stukas, Cherie Eichinger, Ruth Miller and Alan Lewis. For the first time, an Apple II Microcomputer was used for tabulations and analysis. Librarians noting errors in an entry should report the errors to OPLIC.

With the beginning of the new decade, it is possible to analyze public library development in the 1970s. Throughout this report, 1980 census data is used, and comparisons are made to 1970.

The Population Served

At the end of 1980, the number of Minnesota citizens served by tax-supported public libraries was 3,940,086, or 96.6% of the state's population. Of the population with public library service, 97.8% are served by libraries participating in regional public library systems. In 1970, 88.5% of Minnesota's population was served by public libraries, but only 62.7% of the population served was in geographic areas served by regional public library systems. Six new regional public library systems were established in the 1970s, and the population served by the seven other regional public library systems grew substantially. In 1970, 28 counties were participating in regional library systems and there were county libraries in an additional 16 counties. In 1980, 71 counties participated in regional public library systems.

Library services outlets established since the 1979 reports included Rogers (Hennepin County Library), St. Francis (Anoka County Library), West Concord (member of SELCO) and Clarkfield (Western Plains Library System).

The Supply of Library Materials

The number of items in the collections of Minnesota's public libraries increased 49.5% from 1970 to 1980. Book collections grew by 67%, with the number of volumes per capita rising from 1.86 in 1970 to 2.25 in 1980. During the decade, many libraries began circulating 16mm and 8mm films, art prints and other audiovisual items. As the new decade begins, videocassettes are being circulated by a number of libraries and a few public libraries are circulating videodiscs.

Materials collections in 1980 grew by 5%, a faster rate than in 1978 and 1979. It is interesting to note that expenditures for materials increased 15.8% in 1980, suggesting that inflation in the costs of materials continues.

Total materials reported in 1980 excludes an estimated 2,500,000 vertical file items in metropolitan public libraries that were included in 1979. The 1980 figure includes books, periodicals and audiovisual items.

The Sharing of Library Resources

Minnesota's public libraries continue to depend on resource sharing networks to better serve their users. Public libraries reported a total of 158,113 user requests sent to regional or statewide systems. Of this total, 149,593 or 94.6% of the requests were filled. This means that for every item requested, the chances are better than 9 out of 10 that the item can be obtained from another library. Regional systems supplied 100,099 items, or 63.3% of the total. The Public Library Access Network (PLANET), headquartered at the St. Paul

Public Library under an agreement with OPLIC, supplied 21,493 items or 13.5% of the total. The Minnesota Interlibrary Telecommunications Exchange (MINITEX), whose services are made available to public libraries under an OPLIC contract with the Minnesota Higher Education Coordinating Board, supplied 15,755 items or 9.9% of the total. Other sources supplied 12,246 items or 7.7% of the total.

It is interesting to note that the volume of interlibrary loan accounts for only about two-thirds of one percent of the circulation of Minnesota's public libraries. While the percentage is small, the availability of additional materials to the library user is of incalculable value and importance.

The Use of Libraries

Per capita use of public libraries of Minnesota when measured by circulation has grown steadily since the 1950s. Total charged circulation in Minnesota's public libraries increased 3% in 1980, and has increased 40% since 1970. Circulation per capita stood at 5.1 items in 1970. In 1980, circulation per capita was 6.1 items. Circulation per capita is still somewhat lower than it was in the 1930s, but that decade witnessed the highest per capita use of public libraries in our history. Periods of reduced personal income and employment have always been accompanied by increased use of public libraries.

Library circulation is only one indicator of library use. It is the only measure used in every Minnesota public library, so it is the only available indicator of public library use statewide. It must be remembered that public libraries are used for reference information, browsing, leisure reading, informal educational pursuits, group meetings and numerous other purposes. In 1979, OPLIC began collecting data on the volume of reference questions, directional questions, library attendance and in-library use of materials. The 1980 annual reports indicate that over one third of the public libraries are collecting some of this information. In future years this information will be compiled, analyzed and published along with regular charged circulation data.

Public Library Funding

Public library service in Minnesota continues to be financed primarily from county and city property tax levies. Public library receipts in 1980 totaled $42,144,081, an increase of 14.3% over 1980. Local support, which accounts for 82.5% of this total, increased 10.6%. State and federal funds provided 10.4% of this total, an increase of 29% reflecting the substantially increased funding for Fiscal Year 1980 appropriated by the 1979 Minnesota Legislature. The remaining 7.1% is miscellaneous sources of income such as receipts from photocopy machines, fines, interests and gifts. These miscellaneous sources provided 48% more money in 1980 than in 1979.

Receipts reported are only for operating purposes, and as in previous years exclude capital expenditures. Also excluded are indirect receipts or inkind contributions, the estimated dollar value of services paid by cities or counties for expenses such as CETA employees, utilities, space in city-owned buildings, etc. In many libraries, it is extremely difficult to estimate the value of these receipts. Estimates reported total $1,034,649 in 1980, a drop of 2.2% from 1979.

Public library expenditures for capital outlay was reported to be $9,215,216 in 1980. As in 1979, most of this amount reflects building projects in the Hennepin County Library service area, plus new buildings in the cities of Duluth and Minneapolis.

The 1970s were years of high inflation, so unadjusted dollar figures do not necessarily accurately reflect support for public library services. It is interesting to note that local support for public library services increased 109% from 1970 to 1980. Local support per capita increased from $4.93 to $8.56, an increase of 80%. Most dramatic of all is the 506% increase in state and federal support for public library services.

Public Library Expenditures

Operating expenditures of Minnesota public libraries in 1980 totaled $40,623,138, an increase of 16.5% over 1979. Per capita expenditures for the

population served increased to $10.31, up 8.8%.

Two significant changes in public library expenditures are noted in 1980. Personnel costs, constituting 71% of public library expenditures in 1979, accounted for 66.8% of public library expenditures in 1980. Expenditures for personnel increased 10%, but the number of full time equivalent staff increased from 1,812.2 to 1,857.1, resulting in an increase of 7.4% per staff member. Clearly, costs for expenses other than personnel are increasing much more rapidly than personnel costs.

Expenditures for all operating costs other than personnel costs and materials increased 54% in 1980, and now account for 17.5% of public library expenditures. Reflected here are the increased energy costs which libraries incur for utilities, operating bookmobiles, delivering materials to branch or member libraries, etc.

Expenditures for materials, constituting 16% of total public library expenditures in 1979, account for 15.7% of public library expenditures in 1980. The $5,541,779 expended for materials represents an increase of 15.8% over 1979.

Public library expenditures for personnel have increased 240% since 1970. Public library expenditures for materials have increased 143% since 1970.

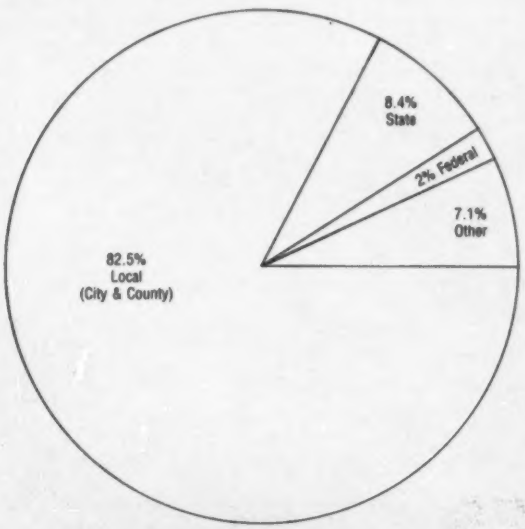
Arrangement and Contents of Tables

Arrangement of the tables is similar to the arrangement used in previous years. The summary table provides totals for each of the regional library systems and for the unaffiliated public libraries. Totals for the state are shown on this table.

Regional library systems are reported in alphabetical order with system totals at the beginning. Data is presented for each branch of the consolidated regional libraries and the county and city libraries. For the federated regional library systems, system totals are given first followed by data for system operations reflecting activities at the system headquarters. Member libraries of federated systems are reported next in alphabetical order. Bookmobiles are listed with tneir circulation and the total number of hours they are available for public use. Circulation of books by mail programs are also listed. All per capita amounts were calculated using population data in the 1980 census. All per capita amounts were calculated using the population for the governmental unit primarily responsible for financing the library.

Library System	1980 Population	Area in Sq. Mil.	Number of Libraries	Bookmobiles	Stations	Prof.†	Total	Total Materials	Total Charged Circulation	Circ. per Capita
CONSOLIDATED REGIONAL LIBRARIES										
Crow River Regional Library	89,879	1,892	16	1	17	3.0	31.9	229,448	442,827	4.9
East Central Regional Library	112,560	5,193	11	2	5	3.0	24.0	107,441	431,917	3.8
Great River Regional Library	260,798	4,912	20	3	14	11.4	55.3	299,023	929,649	3.5
Kitchigami Regional Library	104,611	6,033	8	1	0	2.0	23.9	177,701	334,884	3.2
Lake Agassiz Regional Library	118,258	5,288	11	3	35	5.0	40.8	230,897	664,242	5.6
Northwest Regional Library	53,002	5,642	7	1	6	2.0	18.9	97,296	234,627	4.4
Western Plains Library System	43,911	1,843	11	1	5	2.0	17.3	116,701	258,261	5.8
FEDERATED LIBRARY SYSTEMS										
Arrowhead Library System	314,652	17,420	32	5	34	21.8	174.9	1,012,485	2,211,047	7.0
Metropolitan Library Service Agency	1,985,692	2,820	91	8	113	226.4	1,130.6	5,083,873	13,466,882	6.8
Plum Creek Library System	92,349	4,178	16	2	9	8.0	40.1	226,716	577,958	6.2
Southeastern Libraries Cooperating	362,005	4,886	29	4	45	30.8	139.4	814,851	2,237,164	6.2
Traverse des Sioux Library System	213,522	4,462	39	2	55	14.8	96.5	601,337	1,381,242	6.5
Viking Library System	102,761	3,716	10	2	24	5.1	34.1	196,825	555,234	5.4
Unaffiliated Libraries — Totals	86,086		25	0	8	.6	29.4	490,983	648,263	7.5
STATEWIDE TOTALS:										
Population Served	3,940,086		326	35	370	335.9	1857.1	9,685,579	24,374,197	6.1
Unserved	137,062									
Total 1980 Population	4,077,148									

† Professional Staff are those persons with a Masters' Degree in Library Science.



MINNESOTA PUBLIC LIBRARY RECEIPTS — 1980

Program AttenDance	Receipts: Local	Local per Capita	State/ Fed.	Other	Total	Indirect Receipts/ Expend.	Operating Expenditures: Personnel	Materials	Total	Per Capita Expenditure
14,979	$ 291,595	$ 3.24	$ 105,819	$ 52,165	$ 449,579	$ 32,897	$ 321,626	$ 65,051	$ 456,124	5.07
6,183	237,854	2.11	174,222	25,875	437,951	40,265	264,352	62,343	391,257	3.47
8,311	703,909	2.69	287,993	100,275	1,092,177	125,445	745,904	163,965	1,136,359	4.35
3,030	203,483	1.94	185,391	19,792	408,666	33,184	230,320	48,336	371,847	3.55
	570,420	4.82	177,644	6,015	754,079		473,999	154,291	777,947	6.57
18,428	162,300	3.06	138,232	23,184	323,716		173,089	36,752	282,766	5.33
5,950	225,214	5.12	108,538	24,947	358,699	47,538	187,813	59,435	339,271	7.72
135,459	2,759,249	8.76	593,097	473,613	3,825,959	344,485	2,008,393	534,845	3,206,974	10.19
312,982	24,202,335	12.18	1,787,082	1,695,019	27,684,436	225,131	18,794,470	4,152,096	27,547,377	13.80
19,340	617,077	6.68	127,536	102,759	847,372	13,452	473,532	132,749	681,006	7.37
70,790	2,484,326	6.86	340,935	140,717	2,965,978	42,012	1,790,007	482,861	2,681,374	7.40
65,338	1,435,847	6.72	207,391	215,960	1,859,198	95,629	1,079,293	283,937	1,691,303	7.92
3,666	463,207	4.50	139,161	56,549	658,917	10,350	321,908	133,384	605,236	5.88
10,570	421,653	4.89		55,701	477,354	24,261	279,723	107,358	454,297	5.27
675,026	$34,778,469	$8.92	$4,373,041	$2,992,571	$42,144,081	$1,034,649	$27,144,429	$6,417,403	$40,623,138	$10.31

Total Number of Staffed Public Library Buildings:	326
Number of Public Library Administrative Units:	134
Number of Public Library Branches:	202
Number of Bookmobiles:	35
Number of Stations:	370
Number of Public Library Staff:	1857.1

MINNESOTA PUBLIC LIBRARY EXPENDITURES — 1980

Library	County	1980 Population	Staff: Professional	Staff: Total	Hours Open per week	Stations	Union?	Open Sun.?	Materials: Bookstock	Materials: Periodicals	Materials: Audio-Visual	Total Charged Circulation
ARROWHEAD LIB. SYS. — TOTAL		314,652	21.8	174.9		34			976,510	2,299	33,676	2,211,047
ALS — Sys. Ops.			4.0	25.9		14	Y		123,300	53	7,995	329,037
Bookmobile #1				1.6	21				3,000			64,233
Bookmobile #2				1.8	15				3,000			70,520
Bookmobile #3				1.5	9				3,000			71,633
Bookmobile #4				1.1	10				3,000			51,999
Mail A Book				2.0					25,000			70,652
Aurora	St. Louis	2,670		.6	20				9,871	70	175	19,382
Babbitt	St. Louis	2,435		2.5	29				19,323	76	1,029	45,065
Baudette	Lk O T Wds	1,170		.8	32	1			9,381	26	67	21,224
Bovey	Itasca	813		1.5	42	1			12,017	34	260	14,530
Buhl	St. Louis	1,284	.8	2.9	40	1			16,185	71	284	13,943
Calumet	Itasca	469		.5	20				6,462	43		2,557
Carlton	Carlton	862		.6	20	3			6,156	34	148	5,434
Chisholm	St. Louis	5,930		3.6	42		Y		30,250	128	160	36,770
Cloquet	Carlton	11,142	1.0	6.3	52				22,914	100	1,196	157,864
Coleraine	Itasca	1,116		2.2	38				15,397	64		20,901
Cook	St. Louis	800		.3	12				3,050	5		4,885
Duluth — Total	St. Louis	92,811	13.0	73.3			Y		301,726	494	16,407	760,963
Main	St. Louis		13.0	62.0	40				162,051	289		277,843
Lester Park	St. Louis			2.6	30				24,540	50		100,101
Lincoln	St. Louis			2.0	30				19,634	55		42,336
West Duluth	St. Louis			2.0	30				20,592	48		76,081
Woodland	St. Louis			2.8	52				28,459	52		111,901
Bookmobiles	St. Louis	92,789		2.0	17				21,310			72,035
Homebound	St. Louis	1,000		.2								5,201
Ely	St. Louis	4,820		3.7	35	2	Y		31,287	66		69,288
Eveleth	St. Louis	5,042		2.5	40				25,332	86	215	32,000
Gilbert	St. Louis	2,721		1.8	53				15,013	100	649	28,099
Grand Marais	Cook	1,289		1.7	35	2			11,059	28	4	24,731
Hibbing	St. Louis	21,193	2.0	17.2	61	4	Y		70,703	187	1,423	174,454
Hoyt Lakes	St. Louis	3,186		1.7	38				24,990		25	38,980
International Falls	Koochiching	5,611		6.0	61	4			51,831	160	713	79,931
Keewatin	Itasca	1,443		.6	29				2,538	33	20	3,776
Kinney	St. Louis	447		.3	15	2			8,282	30		7,547
Mckinley	St. Louis	230		.3	6				3,486	19		1,954
Marble	Itasca	757		.5	20				6,573	33		3,997
Moose Lake	Carlton	1,408		.6	22				9,193	29	191	20,490
Mountain Iron	St. Louis	4,134		1.5	30				19,670	85	43	19,769
Silver Bay	Lake	(c)6,591		1.8	40			Y	21,832	74	718	42,914
Two Harbors	Lake	(d)7,713		1.8	40				18,788	76	14	92,822
Virginia	St. Louis	11,056	1.0	11.5	68				79,901	95	1,940	137,740

(a) Local per capita on all pages does not include Indirect Receipts/Expenditures.
(b) Total on all pages is total minus payments between libraries.
(c) Includes 2,917 Population of Silver Bay plus 3,674 for rural Lake County.
(d) Includes 4,039 Population of Two Harbors plus 3,674 for rural Lake County.

Loan Period in Weeks	Programs	Program Attendance	1980 Receipts: Local	Local per cap. (a)	State/ Federal	Other	Total (b)	Indirect Receipts/ Expend.	Operating Expenditures: Personnel	Materials	Total (b)
	2,191	135,459	2,759,249	8.76	593,097	473,613	3,825,959	344,485	2,008,393	534,845	3,206,974
2	48	3,043	293,547		593,097	39,158	925,802		357,739	100,021	869,790
2											
2											
2											
2											
3			14,231	5.32							
2	21	80	37,447	15.37			14,231	7,685	6,377	6,695	14,231
2	30	1,482	2,920	2.49		1,943	39,390	3,002	21,259	11,847	38,427
2	22	385	11,988	14.74		434	3,354	7,557	7,106	1,796	11,520
3	47	915	19,458	15.15		1,255	13,243	5,100	10,925	4,714	17,109
2	46	485	1,625	3.46		586	20,044	14,635	9,951	3,299	21,842
2			5,314	6.16		166	1,791	7,061		1,040	1,781
4	13	214	63,246	10.66		84	5,398	970	3,784	644	4,670
3	122	381	99,163	8.89		850	64,096	6,900	45,008	14,843	64,098
4	1	2,103	28,720	25.73	5,400	3,890	108,453		61,515	26,666	108,382
2			1,674	2.09			28,720		17,166	3,420	28,720
2	1	50	1,432,175	15.43		289	1,963	2,000	1,674	209	1,969
4	829	108,185			94,266	55,363	1,581,804	208,526	910,803	213,193	1,336,307
4	4	135	36,426	7.55	2,503	74	39,003	4,275	29,904	8,331	39,025
2	24	1,100	24,000	4.76			24,000	8,757	20,223	4,423	25,108
3	1	50	30,600	11.24		234	30,834	13,449	20,339	8,071	30,850
2	87	1,399	13,088	10.15		477	13,565		6,641	2,961	12,512
4	70	3,608	177,412	8.37	3,570	3,037	184,019		107,731	26,495	178,019
2	15	185	31,362	9.84		1,571	32,933	5,800	24,972	6,126	32,932
3	279	4,273	81,973	14.60		22,484	104,457	34,259	71,507	16,014	100,892
2	93	964	12,000	8.31		1,067	13,067	3,550	7,593	3,816	12,999
2			4,670	10.44			4,670	1,500	1,840	440	2,747
2			3,002	13.05			3,002	460	1,873	578	2,488
2			4,750	6.27			4,750	1,417	3,181	1,012	4,333
4	34	655	6,750	4.79		413	7,163	995	5,405	2,094	7,898
2	50	737	29,565	7.15		271	29,836		18,132	9,932	30,110
2	17	440	50,000	7.58		1,048	51,048	1,037	27,497	8,082	45,369
2	106	4,340	39,000	5.05		947	39,947	500	29,564	6,127	40,214
3	231	250	203,143	18.37	33,346	6,972	243,461	5,050	178,685	41,956	245,215

Library	County	1980 Population	Staff		Hours Open per week	Stations	Union?	Open Sun.?	Materials			Total Charged Circulation
			Professional	Total					Bookstock	Periodicals	Audio-Visual	
CROW RIVER — TOTAL		89,879	3.0	31.9		17			224,050	203	5,195	442,827
Atwater	Kandiyohi	1,128		.4	18				3,718	14		6,092
Bird Island	Renville	1,372		.4	15				8,065	11		3,595
Brownton	McLeod	697		.4	17				3,445	15		3,730
Cosmos	Meeker	571		.3	15				4,662	27		7,686
Dassel	Meeker	1,066		.5	20				7,065	18		11,509
Glencoe	McLeod	4,396		2.4	39				18,671	52		39,402
Grove City	Meeker	596		.4	18				4,624	15		4,061
Hutchinson	McLeod	9,244		3.9	44				30,486	67		69,682
Lake Lillian	Kandiyohi	329		.3	15				3,545	12		3,160
Litchfield	Meeker	5,904	1.0	5.3	43				36,453	101		68,493
New London	Kandiyohi	812		.5	19				5,142	8		8,512
Raymond	Kandiyohi	723		.4	17				4,597	16		8,630
Renville	Renville	1,493		.3	15				4,387	14		8,572
Spicer	Kandiyohi	909		.4	17				6,261	9		7,873
Willmar (Hq.)	Kandiyohi	15,895	2.0	13.2	68				71,364	153		148,051
Winsted	McLeod	1,522		.5	21				3,565	7		8
Bookmobile		40,000		2.0	25				8,000			36,833
EAST CENTRAL — TOTAL		112,560	3.0	24.0		5			102,747	150	4,544	431,917
Aitkin	Aitkin	1,770		.7	30				4,406	40		26,614
Cambridge (Hq.)	Isanti	3,170	3.0	13.1	65				55,933	150		104,194
Hinckley	Pine	963		.6	25				2,967	40		20,187
Lindstrom	Chisago	1,972		.7	30				4,731	40		23,510
McGregor	Aitkin	447		.2	10				1,061	15		9,571
Milaca	Mille Lacs	2,104		.6	27				3,309	40		30,976
Mora	Kanabec	2,890		.7	30				8,778	40		36,786
Pine City	Pine	2,489		.7	28				2,763	40		23,040
Princeton	Mille Lacs	3,146		.6	27				4,441	40		30,012
Rush City	Chisago	1,198		.6	25				3,736	40		14,421
Sandstone	Pine	1,594		.7	28				4,178	40		23,029
Bookmobile #1		75,000		1.3	11				3,375			28,939
Bookmobile #2		32,500		2.0	13				3,087			40,033
Mail A Book		75,000		2.0					5,260			20,605

Loan Period in Weeks	Programs	Program Attendance	1980 Receipts					Indirect Receipts/ Expend.	Operating Expenditures		
			Local	Local per cap. (a)	State/ Federal	Other	Total (b)		Personnel	Materials	Total (b)
4	856	14,979	291,595	3.24	105,819	52,165	449,579	32,897	321,626	65,051	456,124
4	380	6,183	237,854	2.11	174,222	25,875	437,951	40,265	264,352	62,343	64,875

Library	County	1980 Population	Staff: Professional	Staff: Total	Hours Open per week	Stations	Union?	Open Sun.?	Materials: Bookstock	Materials: Periodicals	Materials: Audio-Visual	Total Charged Circulation
GREAT RIVER — TOTAL		260,798	11.4	55.3		14			288,113	426	10,484	929,649
Albany	Stearns	1,569		.5	21				4,157	15		10,858
Annandale	Wright	1,568		.5	20				4,469	21		15,214
Belgrade	Stearns	805		.3	15				3,053			8,005
Buffalo	Wright	4,560		2.1	40				11,509	49		61,209
Cokato	Wright	2,056		.6	22				7,626	27		20,278
Cold Spring	Stearns	2,294		.6	26				5,099	17		20,411
Delano	Wright	2,480		.8	28				5,787	20		20,235
Elk River	Sherburne	6,785		2.0	40				11,170	40		59,838
Foley	Benton	1,606		.5	21				3,280	16		11,448
Howard Lake	Wright	1,240		.6	23				6,403	20		21,243
Kimball	Stearns	651		.3	14				4,965	12		17,463
Long Prairie	Todd	2,359		.7	24				5,697	21		27,214
Melrose	Stearns	2,409		.5	20				5,826	18		13,910
Monticello	Wright	3,111		.7	24				6,541	21		25,226
Pierz	Morrison	1,018		.5	21				5,475	19		15,540
Richmond	Stearns	867		.1	6				2,500			4,483
Royalton	Morrison	660		.2	10				3,210	11		7,120
St. Cloud (Hq.)		42,566	10.4	35.8	56				180,030	426		366,891
Swanville	Morrison	295		.1	6				2,000			3,389
Waite Park	Stearns	3,496		.4	15				5,362	14		10,104
Bookmobile #1		220,674	1.0	3.0	16				3,000			64,501
Bookmobile #2				3.3	14				3,000			56,289
Bookmobile #3					15				3,000			32,892
Mail A Book		10,330		.6					10,000			
KITCHIGAMI — TOTAL		104,611	2.0	23.9					82,154	304	2,423	334,884
Bemidji	Beltrami	10,949		4.2	63				22,022	79		76,127
Blackduck	Beltrami	653		.5	20				7,718	10		14,787
Brainerd	Crow Wing	11,489	1.0	5.2	63				76,237	107		86,129
Cass Lake	Cass	1,001		.5	20				8,945	7		13,956
Longville	Cass	191		.5	20				7,981	11		12,074
Pine River	Cass	881		2.0	45				59,052	29		51,099
Wadena	Wadena	4,699		1.0	40				13,825	31		22,995
Walker	Cass	970		.7	26				6,832	8		14,155
Bookmobile		47,000		2.0	17				8,214			36,187
Mail A Book		25,000		.3					14,000			7,269
LAKE AGASSIZ — TOTAL		118,258	5.0	40.8		35	Y		219,873	300	10,724	664,242
Ada	Norman	1,971		1.1	30				9,000	23		25,183
Barnesville	Clay	2,207		.6	25				6,000	21		19,944
Breckenridge	Wilkin	3,909		1.3	49				16,000	23		22,450
Climax	Polk	273		.3	15				2,500	16		8,313
Crookston	Polk	8,628	2.0	6.0	59				35,000	97		59,494
Detroit Lakes	Becker	7,106		2.5	40				16,000	38		68,425
Fertile	Polk	869		.3	15				2,000	15		11,294
Fosston	Polk	1,593		.6	24				5,000	24		17,949
Hawley	Clay	1,634		.6	25				10,000	21		24,543
McIntosh	Polk	681		.3	15				2,000	16		8,676
Moorhead (Hq.)	Clay	29,998	5.0	19.9	69			Y	91,500	247		208,974
LARL Bookmobiles (3)		49,952		7.0	51				25,000			118,997

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			Local	Local per cap. (a)	State/ Federal	Other	Total (b)		Personnel	Materials	Total (b)
4	1,141	8,311	703,909	2.69	287,993	100,275	1,092,177	125,445	745,904	163,965	1,136,359
4	378	3,030	203,483	1.94	185,391	19,792	408,666	33,184	230,320	48,336	371,847
4			570,420	4.82	177,644	6,015	754,079		473,999	154,291	777,947

Library	county	1980 Population	Staff: Professional	Staff: Total	Hours Open per week	Stations	Union?	Open Sun.?	Materials: Bookstock	Materials: Periodicals	Materials: Audio-Visual	Total Charged Circulation
MELSA— TOTAL		1,985,692	226.4	1,130.6					4,771,570	9,860	302,443	12,497,928
MELSA — Administration			2.4	3.4							2,076	
Anoka County — Total	Anoka	160,335	15.4	62.8	0	1			252,629	1,156	9,618	968,954
Blaine	Anoka	28,558	7.6	18.3	67			Y	86,627	576		345,747
Centennial (Cir. Pines)	Anoka	3,321		1.8	47				25,472	106		76,578
Coon Rapids East	Anoka	35,826	1.0	2.2	57				32,424	107		123,922
Coon Rapids West	Anoka	35,826	1.0	2.6	60			Y	35,780	122		141,973
Fridley	Anoka	30,228	5.8	10.8	66			Y	50,438	194		210,999
Ham Lake	Anoka	7,832		.6	25				11,619	27		42,878
St. Francis	Anoka	1,184		1.5	30				10,269	24		26,857
*Anoka Public	Anoka	15,634	2.5	10.5	56	1		Y	50,358	403	827	191,826
*Columbia Heights	Anoka	20,029	1.0	7.6	58	1			38,399	106	2,110	117,306
Carver County — Total	Carver	37,046	3.5	10.2	0	2	Y		38,168	83	1,695	132,124
Carver Co. — Admin	Carver		3.0	5.0	0							
Chanhassen	Carver	6,351	.5	.5	20				3,000			12,778
Chaska	Carver	8,346		1.7	51				17,113	47		42,147
Waconia	Carver	2,638		1.2	37				10,050	39		34,405
Watertown	Carver	1,818		.8	29			Y	4,450	29		19,610
Young America	Carver	1,237		.8	30				5,250	27		23,184
Dakota County — Total	Dakota	172,876	18.0	64.5	0	12	Y		260,778	300	6,477	958,958
Dakota Co. Admin.	Dakota		8.0	25.5								
Burnsville	Dakota	35,674	5.0	17.0	63			Y	130,000	300		469,654
Farmington	Dakota	4,370	1.0	4.0	63				30,000	60		65,271
Hastings	Dakota	12,811	1.0	6.0	63				50,000	120		146,611
West St. Paul	Dakota	18,527	3.0	10.0	63				50,000	300		213,534
DCL — Bookmobile #3	Dakota	30,000		2.0	26				7,500			63,888
DCL — Bookmobile #4	Dakota				25							
*So. St. Paul — Total	Dakota	21,235		5.5	56				68,992	174	3,520	157,271
So. St. Paul — Bkmobile	Dakota			1.0	20							30,118
Hennepin Co. — Total	Hennepin	570,460	59.9	349.1		50	Y		1,048,863	1,555	95,590	4,597,766
Augsburg Park	Hennepin	37,851	2.0	9.3	50				60,000	232		202,706
Brooklyn Center	Hennepin	31,230	2.4	10.6	59			Y	45,000	250		242,437
Brooklyn Park	Hennepin	43,332	2.4	10.7	51				65,000	335		336,484
Champlin	Hennepin	9,006		1.9	33				18,000	85		48,683
Eden Prairie	Hennepin	16,263		2.9	31				15,000	72		87,192
Edina	Hennepin	46,073	1.3	10.6	50				65,000	258		283,166
Excelsior	Hennepin	2,523	1.4	5.8	51				33,000	188		135,637
Golden Valley	Hennepin	22,775	3.1	10.6	50				80,000	230		312,419
Hopkins	Hennepin	15,336	3.0	10.1	55			Y	50,000	224		268,582
Long Lake	Hennepin	1,747	.3	7.3	30				7,000	74		23,565
Maple Plain	Hennepin	1,421		1.4	30				8,000	75		26,241
Medina	Hennepin	2,623		1.0	23				6,200	64		19,005
Minnetonka	Hennepin	38,683		5.9	47				27,000	192		138,883
Osseo	Hennepin	2,974		2.0	32				15,000	95		53,987
Oxboro	Hennepin	81,831	1.0	9.2	50				55,000	238		186,251
Penn Lake	Hennepin	81,831	1.5	10.4	50				60,000	283		237,074
Rockford Road	Hennepin	39,965	2.4	11.5	50				90,000	219		372,733
Rogers	Hennepin	652	.8	1.8	33				15,000	76		12,253
St. Anthony	Hennepin	5,619	.9	5.3	51				25,000	183		121,820
St. Bonifacius	Hennepin	857		.6	24				4,500	62		10,692
St. Louis Park	Hennepin	42,931	1.5	9.1	50				65,000	247		217,296
Southdale-Henn/Admin	Hennepin		32.2	188.9	65			Y	250,000	1,200		869,073
Wayzata	Hennepin	3,621	2.2	7.2	48				33,000	153		189,996
Westonka (Mound)	Hennepin	9,280	1.0	6.2	49				33,000	206		135,403
HCL-Bookmobile	Hennepin	43,000	.5	2.9	21				2,500			58,464
Homebound	Hennepin	275		.5								7,724

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	9,860	312,982	24,202,335	12.18	1,787,082	1,695,019	27,684,436	225,131	18,794,470	4,152,096	27,547,377
					1,787,082	157,379	1,944,461		67,307	29,701	1,500,218
3	558	23,299	1,320,424	8.23	68,944	44,941	1,434,309	38,328	821,527	233,113	1,387,379
2	100	5,177	129,883	8.30		65,293	195,176	600	123,053	22,692	185,682
	527	12,638	160,412	8.00		3,428	163,840	7,555	99,013	36,668	163,840
3	178	4,055	144,831	3.90	11,536	21,514	177,881	29,580	102,753	43,499	184,468
2	637	23,015	1,258,264	7.27	58,663	54,990	1,371,917	41,505	880,114	428,792	1,558,569
2	250	2,700	147,806	6.96			147,806		85,345	21,910	142,955
3	2,670	102,739	8,141,636	14.27	326,996	387,291	8,855,923	5,000	6,044,254	1,261,585	8,909,656

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MELSA (Continued)												
Minneapolis Public — Total	Hennepin	370,951	66.6	323.2		37	Y		1,481,943	4,187	101,378	2,396,398
Central (HQ)	Hennepin		50.2	236.0	65				1,168,131	2,095		844,941
East Lake	Hennepin		1.0	6.7	46				32,586	149		157,499
Franklin	Hennepin		1.0	4.0	38				18,196	115		32,662
Hosmer	Hennepin		1.0	4.0	38				18,800	118		35,840
Linden Hills	Hennepin		1.0	6.6	46				25,210	163		99,853
Nokomis	Hennepin		1.3	7.1	46				37,274	148		160,878
North Regional	Hennepin		3.9	13.9	59				87,348	269		233,657
Northeast	Hennepin		1.0	5.9	46				29,048	182		99,025
Pierre Bottineau	Hennepin			1.2	23				6,584	43		24,812
Roosevelt	Hennepin		1.0	5.0	38				22,515	129		112,272
Southeast	Hennepin		1.0	6.2	46				25,137	156		80,847
Sumner	Hennepin		1.0	3.5	38				17,585	113		27,030
Walker	Hennepin		1.0	8.1	46				33,922	178		133,913
Washburn	Hennepin		2.0	9.7	59				45,491	188		276,029
Webber Park	Hennepin			3.5	38				10,389	112		22,576
MPLS—Bookmobile 1	Hennepin			1.8	26							54,564
Mpls-Homebound	Hennepin	301										14,000
Ramsey County — Total	Ramsey	189,554	16.1	79.5		3	Y		424,315	765	29,379	1,291,795
Arden Hills	Ramsey	8,012	1.0	6.6	43				68,172	271		208,052
Maplewood	Ramsey	26,990	2.0	5.5	43				47,157	150		121,853
North St. Paul	Ramsey	11,921	1.0	6.7	43				41,743	193		174,249
Roseville (HQ)	Ramsey	35,820	11.1	52.1	65			Y	139,504	742		534,747
White Bear	Ramsey	22,528	1.0	8.3	46				65,916	238		252,894
RCL-Summer Book Van	Ramsey											4,328
RCL-Homebound	Ramsey	64	.5	.5								
St. Paul Public — Total	Ramsey	270,230	32.0	159.6			Y		759,289	539	33,843	1,754,795
Arlington	Ramsey		1.0	4.9	51				27,413			71,262
SPPL-Central (HQ)	Ramsey		18.0	94.5	58				410,290			408,262
Hamline	Ramsey		1.0	4.9	51				25,813			76,950
Hayden Heights	Ramsey		2.0	8.0	58				33,197			149,100
Highland Park	Ramsey		2.0	9.0	58				48,026			275,297
Lexington	Ramsey		2.0	7.4	58				39,348			116,035
Merriam Park	Ramsey		1.0	4.9	51				25,570			111,548
Rice	Ramsey		1.0	3.9	51				22,156			72,403
Riverview	Ramsey			3.6	51				57,722			57,722
SPPL-St. Anthony	Ramsey		2.0	4.0	51				23,896			79,052
Sun Ray	Ramsey		2.0	9.0	58				46,093			255,511
SPPL-Bookmobile	Ramsey			3.0	40				32,364			81,060
SPPL-Homebnd, PIO,VCC	Ramsey			2.5								593

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			Local	Local per cap. (a)	State/ Federal	Other	Total (b)		Personnel	Materials	Total (b)
4	3,666	106,211	7,006,627	18.88	†445,613	647,637	8,099,877		5,995,990	1,124,245	8,143,740
3	808	19,994	1,691,989	8.92	63,435	50,146	1,805,570		1,148,001	307,301	1,725,253
3	98	2,071	3,157,253	11.68	262,358	233,396	3,673,007		2,690,116	427,038	3,600,909

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MELSA (continued)												
Scott County — Total	Scott	43,784	1.0	10.4		3			104,298	114	4,343	280,378
Scott Co. — Admin.	Scott		1.0	3.7						2		
Belle Plaine	Scott	2,754		.6	27				N.A.	25		23,221
Jordan	Scott	2,663		.6	27				N.A.	29		23,395
New Market	Scott	286		.2	10				N.A.	5		10,554
New Prague	Scott	2,952		1.2	40				N.A.	43		45,878
Prior Lake	Scott	7,284		1.2	40				N.A.	42		54,935
Savage	Scott	3,954		6.7	27				N.A.	25		19,303
Shakopee	Scott	9,941		2.8	55				N.A.	62		103,092
Washington Co. — Total	Washington	90,430	7.0	30.2					144,529	292	8,154	388,003
Washington Co. — Admin.	Washington		3.7	15.1					3,000	49		
Lake Elmo	Washington	5,296	.5	1.6	29				14,000	90		37,779
Marine	Washington	543		.8	17				8,000	45		23,908
Park-Grove	Washington	18,994	1.5	6.3	59			Y	36,000	205		140,780
Valley	Washington	2,550	.0	1.6	28				14,000	90		38,271
Wildwood	Washington	654	.5	1.7	32				16,000	94		49,117
Woodbury	Washington	10,297	.5	1.6	35			Y	20,000	95		61,672
Wash. Co.-Bookmobile	Washington		.2	1.3	16				10,000			36,476
*Bayport	Washington	2,932		1.8	30				22,898	70	82	35,138
*Forest Lake	Washington	4,596		2.9	36				14,311	57	307	57,701
*Newport	Washington	3,323		.7	21				16,410	58	301	17,017
*Stillwater	Washington	12,290	1.0	8.5	58	3	Y		45,390	175	2,743	121,452
NORTHWEST — TOTAL		53,002	2.0	16.9		6			94,282	121	2,895	234,627
Godel Memorial	Marshall	2,105		1.0	40				4,174	23		18,526
Greenbush	Roseau	817		1.0	39				5,652	17		11,549
Hallock	Kittson	1,405		1.0	50				9,686	19		20,881
Red Lake Falls	Red Lake	1,732		.8	32				8,126	19		22,680
Roseau	Roseau	2,272		1.0	38				5,805	20		22,078
Thief River Falls (Hq.)	Pennington	9,105	2.0	9.0	66				53,825	121		75,929
Warroad	Roseau	1,216		.5	19				5,530	14		10,018
Bookmobile		31,967		2.0	20				3,000			43,680
Mail A Book		31,967		.3					3,100			8,064
Homebound				.2					1,192			
PLUM CREEK — TOTAL		92,349	8.0	40.1		9			219,340	938	6,438	577,958
PCLS Administration			1.0	2.0					142	45	868	
Edgerton-Runals	Pipestone	1,123		.2	9	1			3,726	3		12,606
Fulda	Murray	1,308		1.1	29	1			10,170	57		15,660
Jackson County — Total	Jackson	13,690	1.0	3.0					11,750	234	413	62,213
Heron Lake	Jackson	783		.5	20				2,500	32		7,126
Jackson City (Hq.)	Jackson	3,797	1.0	2.0	40			Y	10,000	166		34,572
Lakefield	Jackson	1,845	.0	.5	20				3,000	36		11,039
Marshall-Lyon Co. — Total	Lyon	25,207	2.0	13.7		3			66,092	167	1,594	162,646
Balaton	Lyon	752		.3	12				2,500	8		5,076
Cottonwood	Lyon	924		.3	12				3,500	14		7,407
Marshall (Hq.)	Lyon	11,161	2.0	10.8	65				58,092	167		101,888
PCLS Bookmobile II		30,092		1.6	9				3,500			22,083
PCLS — Mail A Book		102,136		.6					5,000			25,475
Mountain Lake	Cottonwood	2,277	1.0	2.1	32	1			12,092	63	562	19,677
Nobles Co. — Total	Nobles	21,840	3.0	11.0					57,151	149	1,906	181,314
Adrian	Nobles	1,336		.3	20				4,600	17		6,893
Rushmore	Nobles	387		.1	4				1,000			2,414
Worthington (Hq.)	Nobles	10,243	3.0	.5	60				50,071	149		119,738
PCLS Bookmobile I		30,087		2.0	13				2,500			46,457
Redwood Falls	Redwood	5,210		1.8	34				17,598	83		50,459
Rock County	Rock	10,703		3.4	57				21,591	89	1,078	53,246
Slayton	Murray	2,420		1.0	32	2			14,782	44	17	17,127
Wabasso	Redwood	745		.5	20	1			4,246	4		3,013

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Loan Period in Weeks	Programs	Program Attendance	1980 Receipts: Local	Local per cap. (a)	State/ Federal	Other	Total (b)	Indirect Receipts/ Expend.	Operating Expenditures: Personnel	Materials	Total (b)
2		2,077	208,081	4.75	15,861	2,930	226,872	23,158	150,306	54,046	230,524
2	223	5,555	638,435	7.05	35,074	10,607	684,116	32,850	454,356	109,657	689,092
2	53		30,744	10.48		1,933	32,677	3,943	22,086	4,007	31,515
	18		30,722	5.68		2,951	33,673	3,612	24,519	11,473	38,226
3	1	46	16,000	4.81		417	16,417		8,100	3,438	12,798
2	73	3,405	119,228	9.70		10,166	129,394	39,000	77,630	32,931	127,907
2	947	18,428	162,300	3.06	†138,232	23,184	323,716		173,089	36,752	282,766
	659	19,340	617,077	6.68	127,536	102,759	847,372	13,452	473,532	132,749	681,006
					127,536	51,414	178,950		38,629	12,497	193,893
2	6	6	2,306	2.05		523	2,829	10,650	855	1,364	2,427
2	35	1,162	15,021	11.48		1,356	16,377		8,505	3,665	17,273
2			81,956	5.98		7,025	88,981	1,432	34,155	24,426	85,769
3	149	3,984	181,129	7.18	57,821	9,656	248,606		151,885	34,262	230,530
2	35	749	25,850	11.35		1,512	27,362	150	19,498	5,636	30,726
3	373	10,577	180,369	8.25	41,670	28,369	250,408		152,975	26,610	58,646
2	16	1,273	43,373	8.32	231	1,705	45,309		22,523	6,637	35,037
2	44	1,576	65,576	6.12			65,576		30,496	12,685	66,566
2	1	13	12,321	5.09		1,161	13,482		10,658	4,104	17,759
2			9,176	12.31		38	9,214	1,220	3,353	863	4,266

Library	County	1980 Population	Staff: Professional	Staff: Total	Hours Open per week	Stations	Union?	Open Sun.?	Materials: Bookstock	Materials: Periodicals	Materials: Audio-Visual	Total Charged Circulation
SELCO — TOTALS		362,005	30.8	139.4		45			772,943	2,535	39,373	2,237,164
SELCO Admin. — Total			3.0	6.5					16,604		1,599	109,950
SELCO Bookmobile #1		46,447		2.0	19				6,311			45,681
SELCO Bookmobile #2		42,301		2.0	20				7,578			38,741
SELCO-Mab		52,350		1.0					2,874			25,528
Albert Lea	Freeborn	36,329	1.0	10.0	65	3			48,971	165	994	128,505
Austin-Mower — Total	Mower	40,390	3.5	15.1		2			90,131	220	5,724	234,801
Austin (HQ)	Mower	23,020	3.5	12.0	69			Y	80,000	222		159,928
Brownsdale	Mower	691		.3	15				3,200	15		5,489
Grand Meadow	Mower	965		.3	15				4,500	15		10,324
Leroy	Mower	930		.3	15				5,500	15		12,519
Aus/Mow Bookmobile	Mower			2.0	21				3,500			44,485
Cannon Falls	Goodhue	2,653		1.4	40	1			11,855	71	490	37,303
Chatfield	Fillmore	1,160		2.2	20				7,648	27	69	10,516
Dodge Center	Dodge	1,816		.8	31	1			8,329	21	42	12,547
Faribault-Buckham	Rice	16,241	2.7	8.2	66	2	Y		61,704	162	1,908	172,195
Harmony	Fillmore	1,133	.5	1.1	29				9,495	37	478	9,296
Kenyon	Goodhue	1,529		.5	20				16,000	29	5	9,514
Lake City	Wabasha	4,035		1.7	26				14,673	56	250	30,591
Mabel	Fillmore	861		.3	12	3			4,640	3	189	2,595
Northfield	Rice	12,549	1.0	6.7	47	1		Y	23,676	136	2,244	76,840
Owatonna/Steele Tot.	Steele	30,328	4.7	8.3		2			61,840	330	7,437	145,587
Owatonna	Steele	18,632	4.0	7.6	68				59,589	330		130,914
Blooming Prairie	Steele		.7	.7	29				1,595	32		14,673
Pine Island-Van Horn	Goodhue	1,977		5.4	32	2			7,513	30	182	21,537
Plainview	Wabasha	2,416		1.0	25				10,195	32	175	21,636
Preston	Fillmore	1,478		.8	20				10,406	25	447	15,510
Red Wing	Goodhue	13,736	4.0	12.8	64	4	Y		58,000	296	1,676	138,435
Rochester — Total	Olmsted	87,151	6.0	33.9		11	Y		158,708	254	8,195	684,675
Rochester Public	Olmsted	57,855	5.7	30.9	64		Y		158,708	254		560,317
Roch. Bookmobile	Olmsted	79,417	.2	2.9	23							124,258
Roch. Homebound	Olmsted	45										3,100
Rushford	Fillmore	1,478		.5	20				9,650	4	3	3,840
St. Charles	Winona	2,184		1.0	27				11,672	58	16	22,651
Spring Valley	Fillmore	2,616		1.0	22	3			10,027	66	358	27,405
Stewartville	Olmsted	3,925	.1	2.2	32	1	Y		13,214	66	880	33,290
Wabasha	Wabasha	2,372		1.2	30	3			14,689	43	1,058	19,375
West Concord	Dodge	762		1.2	21				1,900			887
Winona	Winona	25,075	4.0	13.2	63	5	Y		82,821	310	4,571	230,921
Zumbrota-Carnegie	Goodhue	2,129		1.6	27	1			8,582	94	383	36,762

Loan Period in Weeks	Programs	Program Attendance	1980 Receipts: Local	Local per cap. (a)	State/ Federal	Other	Total (b)	Indirect Receipts/ Expend.	Operating Expenditures: Personnel	Materials	Total (b)
	2,046	70,790	2,484,326	6.86	340,935	140,717	2,965,978	42,012	1,790,007	482,861	2,681,374
4	25	9,040	91,104		340,935	13,798	445,837		162,010	54,828	450,459
4	149	3,806	212,260	5.84	8,938		221,198		120,053	32,444	215,665
3	100	2,268	276,002	6.83	13,268	16,715	305,985	9,484	196,923	45,904	305,816
2	87	2,286	29,022	10.93	1,140	182	30,344		13,120	11,416	30,344
3	49	1,150	5,000	4.31	217	3,072	8,289		3,144	1,318	7,337
2	6	294	12,144	6.66	372	789	13,305		8,657	2,077	12,294
3	57	951	174,918	10.77	6,038		180,956		132,921	19,292	176,590
2	5	215	6,500	5.73	260	2,401	9,161		3,842	2,483	7,270
2	5	138	7,910	5.17	748	36	8,694		3,633	200	7,220
2	43	598	27,131	6.72	1,888	4,533	33,552		15,034	7,128	32,921
2	24	860	2,521	2.92	204	308	3,033	712	1,912	696	3,009
2	205	2,731	79,755	6.35	3,718	3,892	87,365	10,500	63,236	17,741	87,365
4	244	5,972	166,163	5.47	9,477	16,923	192,563	13,974	122,249	37,299	188,502
2	40	1,376	23,111	11.68	4,369	603	28,083		11,460	7,180	25,596
3	19	810	17,863	7.39	737	4,305	22,905		8,545	4,891	16,381
2	73	1,041	9,263	6.26	328	2,493	12,034		6,193	2,490	9,549
3	204	4,688	243,041	17.69	2,098	10,380	255,519		151,856	47,706	42,368
	367	23,465	699,819	8.02	24,760	33,983	758,562		511,070	107,685	752,404
2			8,904	6.02	304	302	9,510	739	5,357	2,336	10,287
2	3	1,095	21,973	10.06	2,410	566	24,949	2,417	14,598	4,355	24,088
2			15,640	5.97	899	1,680	18,219		9,379	5,990	16,714
4	59	1,334	37,721	9.61	1,315	3,279	42,315		20,548	6,902	32,749
2			25,210	10.62	1,186		26,396		12,931	4,911	27,566
2	14	159	200	.26		154	354	100	269	182	529
2	174	4,211	262,957	10.48	9,716	19,171	291,844		191,012	55,407	281,651
4	94	2,302	28,194	13.24	1,128	1,152	30,474	4,036	15,270	10,172	30,235

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TRAVERSE DES SIOUX — TOTAL		213,522	14.8	96.5		55			584,513	1,269	15,556	1,381,242
TDS — Administration		213,522	4.0	12.0					1,446	35	391	
Brown County	Brown				.0							
Comfrey	Brown	548		.0	4				5,509			1,212
New Ulm	Brown	13,755	3.0	9.8	65	3			57,890	192	2,754	123,766
Sleepy Eye (Dyckman)	Brown	3,581		1.4	26				7,789		213	15,000
Springfield	Brown	2,303		1.5	22	1			10,467	60	307	18,634
Faribault Co. — Total	Faribault	19,714		6.9		5			40,258	134	661	99,748
Blue Earth (Hq.)	Faribault	4,132		4.0	46	4			14,550	77		43,759
Elmore	Faribault	882		.1	4				1,625			1,816
Frost	Faribault	293		.8	11				8,090	10		4,891
Wells	Faribault	2,777		1.2	33	1			8,371	12		18,924
Winnebago	Faribault	1,869		.7	24				7,472	35		12,662
LeSueur-Waseca — Total		41,882	1.0	14.5		2			102,936	200	2,327	177,505
Janesville	Waseca	1,897		.5	18				8,511	45		10,008
Lecenter	LeSueur	1,967		.5	18				5,465	36		11,875
LeSueur	LeSueur	3,763		.5	36				10,285	64		28,135
Montgomery	LeSueur	2,349		.5	18				6,307	26		13,965
New Richland	Waseca	1,263		.5	18				5,885	29		11,638
Waseca (HQ)	Waseca	8,219	1.0	6.5	65				62,398	200		65,160
Waterville	Waseca	1,717		.5	18				4,536	30		6,521
L-W Bookmobile				2.0	16				5,300			31,917
Martin County — Total	Martin	24,687	1.0	11.3		7	Y		95,955	224	3,013	153,403
Ceylon	Martin	543		.3	15				4,000	6		6,620
Dunnell	Martin	216		.1	6				1,500			2,406
Fairmont (HQ)	Martin	11,506	1.0	8.6	61				69,255	224		111,535
Granada	Martin	377		.1	6				1,200	1		3,044
Sherburn	Martin	1,275		.5	20				6,000	14		9,815
Trimont	Martin	805		.4	19				6,000	15		9,485
Truman	Martin	1,392		.4	19				4,000	7		5,732
Welcome	Martin	855		.3	14				2,000	3		4,771
Minnesota Valley — Total		94,691	5.0	31.6		28	Y		200,003	283	5,309	629,600
Arlington	Sibley	1,779		.4	15				4,500	14		17,634
Gaylord	Sibley	1,933		.3	13				3,500	15		14,161
Gibbon	Sibley	787		.3	11				2,700	12		7,964
Henderson	Sibley	739		.3	11				2,230	15		7,552
Lake Crystal	Blue Earth	2,078		.5	33				7,800	31		30,377
Mankato (HQ)	Blue Earth	28,651	6.0	23.8	60				196,677	283		320,802
Mapleton	Blue Earth	1,516		.5	19				7,600	38		35,981
North Mankato	Nicollet	9,145		.9	27				15,000	39		37,800
St. Peter	Nicollet	9,056		2.0	30				15,500	42		44,822
Winthrop	Sibley	1,376		.3	11				2,900	13		9,104
MVRL Bookmobile		40,460		2.0	20				2,600			80,429
MVRL Homebound		60		.0								5,518
Watonwan Co. — Total	Watonwan	12,361	.8	7.2		9			62,260	140	581	162,369
Butterfield	Watonwan	634		.8	23				5,000	25		17,126
Darfur	Watonwan	139		.1	6				2,000	5		3,060
Lewisville	Watonwan	273		.1	6				2,000	5		2,680
Madelia	Watonwan	2,130		1.1	30				10,000	40		55,730
St. James (HQ)	Watonwan	4,346	.8	4.9	61				40,000	100		81,221

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	2,633	65,338	1,435,847	6.72	207,391	215,960	1,859,198	95,629	1,079,293	283,937	1,691,303
	2	225		.00	207,391	73,458	280,849		162,789	12,461	263,067
2	14	112		.00		268	268	1,212		117	198
	189	5,652	177,276	12.88		10,326	187,602		129,600	22,051	193,590
	60	1,150	24,388	6.81		3,020	27,408		8,212	5,043	19,228
	43	562	4,400	1.91		4,300	8,700	12,708	7,489	3,266	22,031
2	211	5,606	119,937	6.08		4,489	124,426	9,560	67,018	25,887	122,066
3	503	6,585	259,693	6.20	5,853	12,356	277,902		154,451	58,018	273,698
2	109	8,134	176,284	7.14		12,800	189,084	36,157	132,378	36,120	212,127
2	1,497	27,929	533,499	5.63	3,673	15,337	552,509	24,140	324,930	93,598	521,952
2	5	9,383	140,370	11.35		4,606	144,976	11,852	92,426	27,376	140,205

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			Professional	Total					Bookstock	Periodicals	Audio-Visual	
VIKING LIB. SYSTEM — TOTAL		102,761	5.1	34.1		24			189,336	591	6,898	555,234
Viking — Sys. Operation			2.0	9.0		22			12,208	49	727	109,044
VLS — Bookmobile 1		40,000		4.5	20				2,800			50,229
VLS — Bookmobile 11				4.0	4				2,500			26,059
VLS — Mail-A-Book		45,500		1.0					9,000			32,756
Alexandria	Douglas	7,603		6.3	57				30,530	143	2,314	135,160
Browns Valley	Traverse	837		.6	22				5,696		49	7,142
Elbow Lake	Grant	1,358		.4	16				12,988	25	63	4,908
Fergus Falls	Otter Tail	12,519	2.1	6.6	68	2	Y		48,896	171	2,372	152,411
Glenwood	Pope	2,523		.9	21				12,284	52	113	13,799
Hancock	Stevens	877		.2	10				6,274	13	100	3,425
Morris	Stevens	5,367	1.0	6.5	60			Y	36,243	90	894	92,349
New York Mills	Otter Tail	972		1.0	40				9,862	8	94	9,673
Perham	Otter Tail	2,086		1.3	22				8,649	10	85	16,210
Wheaton	Traverse	1,969		1.2	24				5,706	30	87	11,113
WESTERN PLAINS — TOTAL		43,911	2.0	17.3		5			112,838	148	3,715	258,261
Appleton	Swift	1,842		.5	20				9,280	43		9,858
Clara City	Chippewa	1,574		.5	26				6,848	38		31,729
Clarkfield	Yell. Med.	1,171		.3	15				2,492	12		1,981
Dawson	Lac Q Parl	1,901		1.0	41				8,670	28		13,985
Graceville	Big Stone	780		.5	20				7,651	24		7,422
Kerkhoven	Swift	761		.5	20				1,591	28		6,662
Madison	Lac Q Parl	2,212		.7	20				16,954	29		19,678
Maynard	Chippewa	428		.5	20				5,168	17		7,148
Milan	Chippewa	417		.5	20				3,859	17		8,838
Montevideo (Hq.)	Chippewa	5,845	2.0	8.7	64				29,455	140		68,085
Ortonville	Big Stone	2,550		1.5	40				13,309	48		16,381
Bookmobile		15,000		1.5	20				3,426			52,711
Mail A Book		12,000		.5					4,421			13,783
UNAFFILIATED — TOTAL		86,086	.6	29.4		8			483,377	1,159	6,447	648,263
Bagley	Clearwater	1,321		.6	25				4,659	15		6,841
Benson	Swift	3,656		1.2	48				15,687	49	171	13,378
Caledonia	Houston	2,691		.4	12				11,604	32	273	11,146
Canby	Yell. Med.	2,143		1.4	34	1			21,357	83		43,649
Crosby	Crow Wing	2,218		1.0	24				13,169	78	371	19,521
East Grand Forks	Polk	8,537		3.5	68	2			23,500	109	1,705	56,159
Grand Rapids	Itasca	18,989		8.0	49				57,014	179	1,489	230,504
Granite Falls	Yell. Med.	2,666		1.5	32	1	Y		24,642	60	139	33,312
Ironton	Crow Wing	537		.5	12				6,873	6	10	2,130
Kasson	Dodge	2,827		.5	21				7,792	33		10,382
Lake Benton	Lincoln	869		.4	17				4,881	19		5,968
Lamberton	Redwood	1,032		.1	7				5,657	9		11,000
Little Falls	Morrison	7,250		1.7	33	1			26,021	93	1,156	45,577
Mahnomen	Mahnomen	5,535		.3	16				15,106	3		8,679
Minneota	Lyon	1,470		.2	8				4,307	6		2,583
Morgan	Redwood	975		.6	25				8,023	23		7,103
Olivia	Renville	2,802	.6	1.3	24	1			16,948	45		16,944
Park Rapids	Hubbard	2,976		.5	11	2			9,907	45	94	29,248
Paynesville	Stearns	2,140		.6	18				10,465	23		10,214
Sauk Centre	Stearns	3,709		2.5	26				22,927	75	511	15,223
Staples	Todd	2,623		.6	25				133,393	45	250	14,515
Taylors Falls	Chisago	623		.2	8							2,482
Tracy	Lyon	2,478		.5	20				18,833	60	230	23,235
Tyler	Lincoln	1,353		.2	40				4,379	2		1,925
Windom	Cottonwood	4,666		1.0	31				16,233	67	48	26,545

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	164	3,666	463,207	4.50	139,16	56,549	658,917	10,350	321,903	133,384	605,236
4	1	198	159,912		139,16	26,977	326,050		116,517	41,091	281,244
2			66,370	8.72	23,788	11,046	101,204		55,393	22,418	91,751
2	5	71	5,119	5.77	227	413	5,759		3,537	1,647	7,762
2	10	185	2,000	1.47	1,294	1,168	4,462	2,620	2,621	714	3,667
2	97	2,051	133,651	10.67	27,133	10,065	170,849		91,112	36,847	156,506
2	12	280	13,319	5.27	646	590	14,555	450	8,185	3,921	17,782
2	1	18	2,517	2.87	466	50	3,033		1,423	458	3,060
2	1	123	62,980	11.73	8,610	2,366	73,956		31,500	20,104	73,278
2	10	200	7,239	7.44	864	1,852	9,955	2,100	6,448	2,029	8,899
2	1	70	2,100	1.00	1,369	217	3,686	5,180	503	3,106	4,248
2	26	470	8,000	4.06	508	1,805	10,313		4,669	1,049	10,306
2	274	5,950	225,214	5.12	108,539	24,947	358,699	47,538	187,813	59,435	339,271
	513	10,570	421,653			55,701	477,354	24,261	279,723	107,358	454,297
3	12	130	1,250	.94		172	1,422	3,844	450	1,669	2,235
2	17	460	28,459	7.78		482	28,941		16,404	3,116	22,526
2	2	54	5,000	1.85		206	5,206	261	2,873	1,635	5,299
2	2		6,000	2.79		1,194	7,194	16,086	15,886	6,702	23,637
2	41	1,232	4,611	2.07		38,789	43,400		6,957	5,171	17,443
2	118	2,184	44,915	5.26		2,102	47,017		26,236	16,054	45,896
2	93	2,500	119,988	6.31		2,702	122,690		71,461	20,805	120,744
2	6	210	16,970	6.36			16,970		12,254	4,000	20,969
2			1,875	3.49		113	1,988		1,500	341	1,933
2			9,700	3.43		659	10,359		4,981	3,122	8,709
2	1	10	6,174	7.10		25	6,199		3,120	994	6,124
2	1	125	1,100	1.06		40	1,140		1,254	1,189	2,477
2	19	296	41,594	5.73		1,414	43,003		36,321	6,890	47,800
2			4,920	.88		493	5,413		3,279	1,275	4,596
2	12	244	3,594	2.44			3,594	584	1,320	1,794	3,423
2	1	15	6,278	6.43		545	6,823	480	5,831	1,125	7,225
2	47	1,250	20,000	7.13		97	20,097	1,366	15,640	4,904	21,473
2	52	652	8,735	2.93		1,567	10,302		4,486	2,125	10,074
2			5,535	2.58		690	6,225		4,174	1,113	5,335
2	2	45	27,000	7.27		819	27,819		20,607	6,021	29,411
2	8	132	18,650	7.11		667	19,317		5,195	4,028	9,623
2	10	36	4,031	6.47		70	4,101		1,411	980	4,396
2	53	560	13,637	5.50		667	14,304		8,717	3,582	13,850
3	2	20	4,092	3.02		70	4,162		1,185	862	2,092
2	14	415	17,545	3.76		2,118	19,663	1,640	8,181	7,861	17,027

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Anoka Public Library
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Anoka, MN 55303
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Appleton, MN 56208
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1941 W. Co. Rd. E-2
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Virginia, MN 55792
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Aurora Public Library
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Aurora, MN 55705
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Austin-Mower County Library
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Austin, MN 55912
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City Hall
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Barnesville Public Library
111-2nd Street N.E.
Barnesville, MN 56514
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Baudette Public Library
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Bayport Public Library
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Bayport, MN 55003
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Belgrade: Myrtle Mabee Library
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Belle Plaine Public Library
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Belle Plaine, MN 56011
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Bemidji Public Library
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204-14th St. So.
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Bird Island Public Library
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Bloomington, MN 55431
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Blue Earth: Etta C. Ross Memorial Library
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Bovey Public Library
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Brooklyn Park Library
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Brooklyn Park, MN 55443
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Buffalo Branch
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Buffalo, MN 55313
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Buhl Public Library
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Buhl, MN 55713
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Burnsville, MN 55337
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Caledonia Public Library
Main St.
Caledonia, MN 55921
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507-724-2671

Calumet Public Library
P.O. Box 356
Calumet, MN 55716
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Cambridge: see East Central Regional Library

Canby Public Library
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Canby, MN 56220
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Cannon Falls Public Library
Cannon Falls, MN 55009
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Carlton Public Library
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Carlton, MN 55718
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Carver County Library
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Cass Lake Community Library
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Cass Lake, MN 56633
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Centennial: see Circle Pines

Ceylon Branch
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Champlin Community Library
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690 Coulter
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314 Walnut Street
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Clara City Library
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Climax Public Library
Climax, MN 56523
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Cloquet Public Library
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Cokato Branch
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Coon Rapids East Community Library
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Coon Rapids West Community Library
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Coon Rapids, MN 55433
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Cosmos Public Library
Cosmos, MN 56228
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Cottage Grove: Park-Grove Branch
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Cottonwood Branch
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Cottonwood, MN 56229
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Crookston Public Library
120 N. Ash St.
Crookston, MN 56716
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Crosby: Jesse F. Hallett Memorial Library
101 First St. S.E.
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Crow River Regional Library
410 W. Fifth
Willmar, MN 56201
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Crystal: Rockford Road Community Library
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Crystal, MN 55427
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Burnsville, MN 55337
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Darfur Branch
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Dawson, MN 56232
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Delano, MN 55328
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Detroit Lakes Public Library
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Detroit Lakes, MN 56501
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Dodge Center Public Library
Dodge Center, MN 55927
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Duluth Public Library
520 W. Superior St.
Duluth, MN 55802
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Lester Park Branch Library
54th Avenue East and Tioga St.
Duluth, MN 55804
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218-525-3746

Lincoln Branch Library
2229 W. Second Street
Duluth, MN 55806
Jeanette Smith, Librarian
218-722-7232

West Duluth Branch Library
701 N. Central Avenue
Duluth, MN 55807
Jean Stewart, Librarian
218-624-1622

Woodland Branch Library
3731 Woodland Avenue
Duluth, MN 55803
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Dunnell Branch
Martin County Library
Dunnell, MN 56127
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East Central Regional Library
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Cambridge, MN 55008
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East Grand Forks Public Library
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East Grand Forks, MN 56721
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7420 Eden Prairie Rd.
Eden Prairie, MN 55345
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Edgerton: Runals Memorial Library
Edgerton, MN 56128
Sena Gruys, Librarian
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Edina: Edina Community Library
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Edina, MN 55424
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612-922-1611
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Edina: Southdale Hennepin Area Library
7001 York Avenue S.
Edina, MN 55435
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Hennepin County, MELSA

Elbow Lake: Thorsen Memorial Library
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Elbow Lake, MN 56531
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Elk River Branch
Great River Regional Library
413 Proctor
Elk River, MN 55330
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Elmore Public Library
Elmore, MN 56027
Evelyn Madetzke, Librarian
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Faribault County Lib., Traverse des Sioux

Ely Public Library
30 South 1st Ave. E., Room 113
Ely, MN 55731
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Eveleth Public Library
Pierce Street
Eveleth, MN 55734
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Excelsior Community Library
343-3rd St.
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Faribault: Buckham Memorial Library
Division & Central Sts.
Faribault, MN 55021
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Faribault County Library
see: Blue Earth — Etta C. Ross Mem. Lib.

Farmington Public Library
321 Oak St.
Farmington, MN 55024
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Fergus Falls Public Library
125 N. Union
Fergus Falls, MN 56537
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Fertile Public Library
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Fertile, MN 56540
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Foley Branch
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Forest Lake Public Library
220 North Lake Street
Forest Lake, MN 55025
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216 E. 1st
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Fridley Community Library
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Frost Public Library
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Fulda Public Library
Fulda, MN 56131
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Gaylord Public Library
Gaylord, MN 55334
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Gibbon Public Library
Gibbon, MN 55335
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Minnesota Valley, Traverse des Sioux

Gilbert Public Library
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Gilbert, MN 55741
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Glencoe Public Library
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Glencoe, MN 55336
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Glenwood Public Library
Glenwood, MN 56334
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Golden Valley Community Library
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Golden Valley, MN 55427
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Hennepin County, MELSA

Graceville Public Library
Graceville, MN 56240
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Western Plains

Granada Branch
Martin County Library
Granada, MN 56039
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Traverse des Sioux

Grand Marais Public Library
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Arrowhead

Grand Meadow Public Library
Grand Meadow, MN 55936
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Austin-Mower County, SELCO

Grand Rapids Public Library
21 N.E. Fifth St.
Grand Rapids, MN 55744
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Granite Falls Public Library
155 7th Ave.
Granite Falls, MN 56241
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612-564-3738

Great River Regional Library
406 St. Germain
St. Cloud, MN 56301
Mona Carmack, Director
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Greenbush Public Library
Greenbush, MN 56726
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Grove City Library
Grove City, MN 56243
Loyce Knutson, Librarian
612-857-2560
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Hallock Public Library
Hallock, MN 56728
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Ham Lake Library
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Ham Lake, MN 55304
Susan Webb, Librarian
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Hancock Community Library
568 Atlantic Avenue
Hancock, MN 56244
Dorothy Shaw, Librarian
612-392-5285
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Harmony Public Library
136 Main Ave. N.
Harmony, MN 55939
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Hastings Public Library
830 Vermillion St.
Hastings, MN 55033
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Dakota County, MELSA

Hawley Public Library
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Hawley, MN 56549
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Henderson Public Library
Henderson, MN 56044
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612-248-3880
Minnesota Valley, Traverse de Sioux

Hennepin County Library
7009 York Avenue S.
Edina, MN 55435
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Heron Lake Public Library
Heron Lake, MN 56137
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Jackson County, Plum Creek

Hibbing Public Library
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Hibbing, MN 55746
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Arrowhead

Hinckley Public Library
Hinckley, MN 55037
Ruth Lovgren, Librarian
612-384-6351
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Hopkins Community Library
22-11th Avenue N.
Hopkins, MN 55343
Joan Erickson, Librarian
612-938-3531
Hennepin County, MELSA

Howard Lake Branch
Great River Regional Library
Howard Lake, MN 55349
Delores Lang, Librarian
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Great River

Hoyt Lakes Public Library
Hoyt Lakes, MN 55750
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Hutchinson Free Public Library
Main St. So.
Hutchinson, MN 55350
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Crow River

International Falls Public Library
3rd St. & 8th Ave.
International Falls, MN 56649
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Ironton Public Library
City Hall
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Jackson County Library
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Jackson, MN 56143
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507-847-4748
Plum Creek

Janesville Public Library
102 West Second
Janesville, MN 56048
Marjorie Britton, Librarian
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Jordan Public Library
115 E. 1st St.
Jordan, MN 55352
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Kasson Public Library
Municipal Building
Kasson, MN 55944
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Keewatin Public Library
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Keewatin, MN 55753
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Arrowhead

Kenyon Public Library
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Kenyon, MN 55946
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Kerkhoven Library
Civic Center
Kerkhoven, MN 56252
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Kimball Branch
Great River Regional Library
Kimball, MN 55353
Lorraine Gregory, Librarian
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Kinney Public Library
Kinney, MN 55758
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Kitchigami Regional Library
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Pine River, MN 56474
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Lake Agassiz Regional Library
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Moorhead, MN 56560
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Lake Benton Public Library
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Lake Benton, MN 56149
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Lake City Public Library
Corner of Center & High Streets
Lake City, MN 55041
Betty Smith, Librarian
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SELCO

Lake Crystal Public Library
Lake Crystal, MN 56055
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Minnesota Valley, Traverse des Sioux

Lake Elmo Branch
Washington County Library
3459 Lake Elmo Ave. N.
Lake Elmo, MN 55042
Maureen Farrell, Librarian
612-771-5002
Washington County, MELSA

Lake Lillian Library
Lake Lillian, MN 56253
Viola Flann, Librarian
612-664-4514
Crow River

Lakefield Public Library
Lakefield, MN 56150
Carol Smith, Librarian
507-662-5782
Jackson County, Plum Creek

Lakeland: Valley Branch
Lakeland Plaza
Lakeland, MN 55043
Lois Arnold, Librarian
612-436-5882
Washington Co., MELSA

Lamberton Public Library
Lamberton, MN 56152
Ardell Arnoldi, Librarian

LeCenter Public Library
10 West Tyrone St.
LeCenter, MN 56057
Marylou Janda, Librarian
612-357-6792
LeSueur-Waseca, Traverse des Sioux

LeRoy Public Library
LeRoy, MN 55951
Janice Babb, Librarian
507-324-5641
Austin-Mower County, SELCO

LeSueur Public Library
118 Ferry St.
LeSueur, MN 56058
Diane Christie, Librarian
612-665-2662
LeSueur-Waseca, Traverse des Sioux

LeSueur-Waseca Regional Library
406 N. State St.
Waseca, MN 56093
Daniel Calef, Director
507-835-2910
Traverse des Sioux

Lewisville Branch
Watonwan County Library
Lewisville, MN 56060
Bernice Haycraft, Librarian
507-435-2781
Watonwan County, Traverse des Sioux

Lindstrom Public Library
Lindstrom, MN 55045
Susan Wilson, Librarian
612-257-2817
East Central

Litchfield Public Library
135 N. Sibley
Litchfield, MN 55355
Martin Swalboski, Librarian
612-693-2483
Crow River

Little Falls Public Library
108 Third St. N.E.
Little Falls, MN 56345
Anne Rebischke, Librarian
612-632-5393

Long Lake Community Library
428 N. Lake Street
Long Lake, MN 55356
Anne Eccles, Librarian
612-473-5600
Hennepin County, MELSA

Long Prairie Branch
Great River Regional Library
11 2nd Street N.
Long Prairie, MN 56347
Joan Lano, Librarian
612-732-2332
Great River

Longville: Margaret Welch Mem. Library
P.O. Box 162
Longville, MN 56655
Nora Shepard, Librarian
218-363-2710
Kitchigami

Luverne: see Rock Co. Lib.

Mabel Public Library
Mabel, MN 55954
Olga Munson, Librarian
507-493-5336
SELCO

McGregor Public Library
McGregor, MN 55760
Gretchen Maron, Librarian
612-768-3305
East Central

McIntosh Public Library
McIntosh, MN 56556
Dolores Narveson, Librarian
218-563-4555
Lake Agassiz

McKinley Public Library
Box E
McKinley, MN 55761
Gerda Strah, Librarian
Arrowhead

Madelia Branch
Watonwan County Library
Madelia, MN 56062
Hazel Ufer, Librarian
507-642-3511
Traverse des Sioux

Madison Public Library
401 6th Ave.
Madison, MN 56256
Betty Halvorson, Librarian
612-598-7938
Western Plains

Mahnomen Public Library
Mahnomen, MN 56557
Jean Luhman, Librarian

Mankato: see Minnesota Valley Regional Library

Maple Plain Community Library
5148 Main St. E.
Maple Plain, MN 55359
Kathy Steward, Librarian
612-479-2237
Hennepin County, MELSA

Mapleton Public Library
Mapleton, MN 56065
Sarah Oehler, Librarian
507-524-3513
Minnesota Valley, Traverse des Sioux

Maplewood Branch
Ramsey County Public Library
1460 E. Skillman Ave.
Maplewood, MN 55109
Ann Fitch, Librarian
612-777-8146
Ramsey County, MELSA

Marble Public Library
Marble, MN 55764
Jean Kavanagh, Librarian
Arrowhead

Marine on St. Croix: Marine Branch
Washington County Library
Old Village Hall
Marine-on-St. Croix, MN 55047
Grace Grady, Librarian
612-433-2820
Washington County, MELSA

Marshall-Lyon County Library
301 W. Lyon St.
Marshall, MN 56258
Margaret Bosshardt, Director
507-532-2646
Plum Creek

Martin County Library
110 N. Park
Fairmont, MN 56031
Gilbert Picken, Director
507-238-4207
Traverse des Sioux

Maynard Library
Maynard, MN 56260
Donna Docken, Librarian
612-367-2143
Western Plains

Medina Community Library
2052 Co. Rd. 24
Hamel, MN 55340
Lois Anderson, Librarian
612-475-1201
Hennepin County, MELSA

Melrose Branch
Great River Regional Library
Melrose, MN 56352
Dorothy Weber, Librarian
612-256-3885
Great River

Metropolitan Library Service Agency (MELSA)
Griggs Midway Building
1821 University Avenue, Room S322
St. Paul, MN 55104
William Duncan, Director
612-645-5731

Milaca Community Library
145 First Street
Milaca, MN 56353
Margaret Talbert, Librarian
612-983-3677
East Central

Milan Library
Milan, MN 56262
Arlene Larson, Librarian
612-734-4792
Western Plains

Minneapolis Public Library & Information Center
300 Nicollet Mall
Minneapolis, MN 55401
Joseph Kimbrough, Librarian
612-372-6500
MELSA

East Lake Community Library
2727 East Lake St.
Minneapolis, MN 55406
Mary Hanft, Librarian
612-724-4561

Franklin Community Library
1314 East Franklin Avenue
Minneapolis, MN 55404
Jerry Blue, Librarian
612-874-1667

Hosmer Community Library
347 East 36th St.
Minneapolis, MN 55408
Ann Christensen, Librarian
612-824-4848

Linden Hills Community Library
2900 West 43rd St.
Minneapolis, MN 55410
Curtis Paschal, Librarian
612-922-2600

Nokomis Community Library
5100-34th Avenue South
Minneapolis, MN 55417
Patricia Smith, Librarian
612-729-5989

North Regional Community Library
1315 Lowry Avenue North
Minneapolis, MN 55411
Kay Seymour, Librarian
612-522-3333

Northeast Community Library
2200 Central Avenue N.E.
Minneapolis, MN 55418
John Prazniak, Librarian
612-789-1800

Pierre Bottineau Community Library
1224 N.E. 2nd St.
Minneapolis, MN 55413
Helen Roth, Librarian
612-379-2609

Roosevelt Community Library
4026-28th Avenue S.
Minneapolis, MN 55406
Normakay Marthinson, Librarian
612-724-1298

Southeast Community Library
1222 S.E. 4th Street
Minneapolis, MN 55414
Gary Cooper, Librarian
612-372-6561

Sumner Community Library
611 Emerson Avenue North
Minneapolis, MN 55411
Grace Belton, Librarian
612-374-5642

Walker Community Library
2880 Hennepin Avenue
Minneapolis, MN 55408
Jane Kristiansson, Librarian
612-823-8688

Washburn Community Library
5244 Lyndale Avenue South
Minneapolis, MN 55419
Marilyn Stewart, Librarian
612-825-4863

Webber Park Community Library
4310 Webber Parkway
Minneapolis, MN 55412
Lorraine Bryant, Librarian
612-522-3182

Minneota Public Library
118½ E. First St.
Minneota, MN 56264
Dora A. Harvey, Librarian

Minnesota Valley Regional Library
100 E. Main
Mankato, MN 56001
Shirley Higginbotham, Director
507-387-1856 Ext. 32
Traverse des Sioux

Minnetonka Community Library
17507 Minnetonka Boulevard
Minnetonka, MN 55343
Eileen Cavanagh, Librarian
612-473-2788
Hennepin County, MELSA

Montevideo: see Western Plains Library System

Monticello Branch
Great River Regional Library
Monticello, MN 55362
Marjorie Bauer, Librarian
612-295-2322
Great River

Montgomery Public Library
P.O. Box 76
Montgomery, MN 56069
Mary Monica Turek, Librarian
612-364-7615
LeSueur-Waseca, Traverse des Sioux

Moorhead Public Library
115 South 6th Street
Box 699
Moorhead, MN 56560
Mary Martin, Librarian
218-233-7594
Lake Agassiz

Moose Lake Public Library
205 Elm avenue
Moose Lake, MN 55767
Marlys A. Schmidt, Librarian
218-485-4010
Arrowhead

Mora Public Library
200 West Maple Ave.
Mora, MN 55051
Wendy Prokosch, Librarian
612-679-2642
East Central

Morgan Public Library
Morgan, MN 56266
Rose Spangler, Librarian
507-249-3153

Morris Public Library
102 E. 6th St.
Morris, MN 56267
Rita Mulcahy, Librarian
612-589-1634
Viking

Mound: Westonka Community Library
2079 Commerce Blvd.
Mound, MN 55364
Vickie Oeljen, Librarian
612-472-4105
Hennepin County, MELSA

Mountain Iron Public Library
Box 477
Mountain Iron, MN 55768
Karen Luoma, Librarian
218-735-8625
Arrowhead

Mountain Lake Public Library
1054 4th Ave., Box 386
Mountain Lake, MN 56159
Marlys Swalboski, Librarian
507-427-2506
Plum Creek

New London Library
New London, MN 56273
Inez Lundberg, Librarian
Crow River

New Market Public Library
Corner of Church & St. Joseph Sts.
New Market, MN 55054
Mary Cummings, Librarian
612-461-2711
Scott County, MELSA

New Prague Public Library
400 E. Main St.
New Prague, MN 56071
Helen Kajer, Librarian
612-758-2391
Scott County, MELSA

New Richland Public Library
Po. Box 215
New Richland, MN 56072
Sophie Lyndgaard, Librarian
507-465-3708
LeSueur-Waseca, Traverse des Sioux

New Ulm Public Library
17 N. Broadway
New Ulm, MN 56073
Daniel Reilly, Librarian
507-354-2151
Traverse des Sioux

New York Mills Public Library
City Hall Building, Box 293
New York Mills, MN 56567
Signe Smith, Librarian
218-385-2436
Viking

Newport Public Library
405 7th Ave.
Newport, MN 55055
Kaye Kraft, Librarian
612-459-9631
Washington County, MELSA

Nobles County Library & Information Center
4th Ave. & 12th St.
Worthington, MN 56187
Roger Spillers, Director
507-372-2961
Plum Creek

North Mankato Public Library
Municipal Building
1001 Belgrade Avenue
North Mankato, MN 56001
Dorothy Becker, Librarian
507-345-5120
Minnesota Valley, Traverse des Sioux

North St. Paul Branch
Ramsey County Public Library
2640 E. 7th Avenue
North St. Paul, MN 55109
June Engle, Librarian
612-777-5611
Ramsey County, MELSA

Northfield Public Library
105 E. Third St.
Northfield, MN 55057
Charlotte Mugnier, Librarian
507-645-7626
SELCO

Northwest Regional Library
101 E. First St.
Thief River Falls, MN 56701
Barbara Jauquet, Director
218-681-4325

Olivia Public Library
405 So. 10th St.
Olivia, MN 56277
Marion Koefod, Librarian
612-523-1738

Ortonville Public Library
412 Second St. N.W.
Ortonville, MN 56278
Barb Hauer, Librarian
612-839-2494
Western Plains

Osseo Community Library
415 Central Avenue
Osseo, MN 55369
Fran Jones, Librarian
612-425-3837
Hennepin County, MELSA

Owatonna Public Library
105 N. Elm St.
Box 387
Owatonna, MN 55060
Graham Benoit, Librarian
507-451-4660
SELCO

Oxboro: see Bloomington

Park-Grove: see Cottage Grove

Park Rapids Public Library
101 W. 2nd St.
Park Rapids, MN 56470
Mrs. David Gruis, Librarian

Paynesville Public Library
221 Washburn Ave.
Paynesville, MN 56362
Kathryn Lura, Librarian

Penn Lake: see Bloomington

Perham Public Library
P.O. Box 145
Perham, MN 56573
Catherine Drahmann, Librarian
218-346-4892
Viking

Pierz Branch
Great River Regional Library
220 Main Street
Pierz, MN 56364
Cecelia Marshik, Librarian
612-465-6456
Great River

Pine City Public Library
6th St. at 4th Ave.
Pine City, MN 55063
Susan Sharp, Librarian
612-629-6403
East Central

Pine Island: Van Horn Public Library
115 S.E. Third St.
Pine Island, MN 55963
Jeanine Baringer, Librarian
507-356-8558
SELCO

Pine River Public Library
P.O. Box 84
Pine River, MN 56474
Ann Schwarbauer & Gail Burgoyne, Librarians
218-587-2171
Kitchigami

Plainview Public Library
241 W. Broadway
Plainview, MN 55964
Dorothy Halvorson, Librarian
507-534-3425
SELCO

Plum Creek Library System
921 4th Ave.
P.O. Box 184
Worthington, MN 56187
Thomas L. Scott, Director
507-376-5803

Preston Public Library
Preston, MN 55965
Margaret Morse, Librarian
507-765-4511
SELCO

Prior Lake Community Library
4730 Dakota St. S.E.
Prior Lake, MN 55372
Janet Peterson, Librarian
612-447-3375
Scott County, MELSA

Princeton Community Library
103 So. 10th Ave.
Princeton, MN 55371
JoAnn Dunn, Librarian
612-389-3753
East Central

Ramsey County Library
1910 W. County Road B
Roseville, MN 55113
Norman Vinnes, Director
612-636-5747
MELSA

Raymond Library
Raymond, MN 56282
Adrian Day, Librarian
612-967-4226
Crow River

Red Lake Falls Public Library
Red Lake Falls, MN 56750
Ella Mae Derosier, Librarian
218-253-2992
Northwest

Red Wing Public Library
225 Broadway
Red Wing, MN 55066
Anna Lisa Tooker, Librarian
612-388-2884
SELCO

Redwood Falls Public Library
334 So. Jefferson
Redwood Falls, MN 56283
Mary Lukkarila, Librarian
507-637-8650
Plum Creek

Renville City Library
Renville, MN 56284
Esther Fisher, Librarian
612-329-8193
Crow River

Richfield: Augsburg Park Community Library
7100 Nicollet Avenue S.
Richfield, MN 55423
Roger Burg, Librarian
612-869-8863
Hennepin County, MELSA

Richmond Branch
Great River Regional Library
Richmond, MN 56368
Mary Ann Schwagel, Librarian
612-597-2905

Rochester Public Library
Broadway at 1st St. S.E.
Rochester, MN 55901
Judith Taylor, Librarian
507-285-8000
SELCO

Rock County Community Library
205 N. Freeman Ave.
Luverne, MN 56156
Glenda Bremer, Librarian
507-283-4319
Plum Creek

Rockford Road: see Crystal

Rogers Community Library
21300 John Milles Drive
Rogers, MN 55374
Beverly Nelson, Librarian
612-428-4822
Hennepin County, MELSA

Roseau Public Library
Roseau, MN 56751
Nancy Zukatis, Librarian
218-463-2825
Northwest

Roseville Branch
Ramsey County Public Library
2180 N. Hamline Avenue
Roseville, MN 55113
Margaret Burtle, Librarian
612-631-0494
Ramsey Co., MELSA

Royalton Branch
Great River Regional Library
Royalton, MN 56373
Josephine Walz, Librarian
612-584-8151
Great River

Rush City Public Library
Rush City, MN 55069
Karen Isensee, Librarian
612-358-3948
East Central

Rushford Public Library
101 Mill St. No.
Rushford, MN 55971
Gladys Iverson, Librarian
507-864-7600
SELCO

St. Anthony Community Library
2900 N.E. Pentagon Drive
St. Anthony, MN 55418
Jean Smith, Librarian
612-781-1900
Hennepin County, MELSA

St. Bonifacius Community Library
8264 Kennedy Memorial Drive
St. Bonifacius, MN 55375
Eleanor Dittrich, Librarian
612-446-1418
Hennepin County, MELSA

St. Charles Public Library
125 N. 11th St.
St. Charles, MN 55972
Florence Hayes, Librarian
507-932-3227
SELCO

St. Cloud: see Great River Regional Libr

St. Francis Library
3519 Bridge St. N.W.
St. Francis, MN 55070
Jeanne Evenson, Librarian
612-753-2131
Anoka County, MELSA

St. James: see Watonwan County Librar

St. Louis Park Community Library
3240 Library Lane
St. Louis Park, MN 55426
Alice Paul, Librarian
612-929-8108
Hennepin County, MELSA

St. Peter Public Library
429 S. Minnesota
St. Peter, MN 56082
Judy Miller, Librarian
507-931-1228
Minnesota Valley, Traverse des Sioux

St. Paul Public Library
90 W. 4th St.
St. Paul, MN 55102
Jerry Steenberg, Director
612-292-6311
MELSA

Arlington Hills Branch Library
1105 Greenbrier Avenue
St. Paul, MN 55106
Lucille Finn, Librarian
612-292-6637

Hamline Branch Library
1558 West Minnehaha
St. Paul, MN 55104
Linda Ash, Librarian
612-292-6632

Hayden Heights Branch Library
1456 White Bear Avenue
St. Paul, MN 55106
Francis Galt, Librarian
612-292-6646

Highland Park Branch Library
1974 Ford Parkway
St. Paul, MN 55116
Elizabeth McMonigal, Librarian
612-292-6622

Lexington Branch Library
1080 University Avenue
St. Paul, MN 55104
Elaine Wagner, Librarian
612-292-6620

Merriam Park Branch Library
1831 Marshall Avenue
St. Paul, MN 55104
Patricia Krezowski, Librarian
612-292-6624

Rice Street Branch Library
995 Rice Street
St. Paul, MN 55117
Jane Ruzin, Librarian
612-292-6630

Riverview Branch Library
1 East George Street
St. Paul, MN 55107
Florine Frischkorn, Librarian
612-292-6626

St. Anthony Branch Library
2245 Como Avenue
St. Paul, MN 55108
Kathleen Tregilgas, Librarian
612-292-6635

Sun Ray Branch Library
2105 Wilson Avenue
St. Paul, MN 55119
Barbara Rogers, Librarian
612-292-6640

Sandstone Community Library
Sandstone, MN 55072
Sue Thue, Librarian
612-245-2270
East Central

Sauk Centre Public Library
430 Main St.
Sauk Centre, MN 56378
Phyllis Lahti, Librarian
612-352-3016

Savage Public Library
4809 West 123rd St.
Savage, MN 55378
Barbara Hegfors, Librarian
612-890-5879
Scott County, MELSA

Scott County Library
428 So. Holmes St.
Shakopee, MN 55379
Janet Williams, Director
612-445-7750
MELSA

Shakopee Public Library
235 S. Lewis St.
Shakopee, MN 55379
Anna Mae Walsh, Librarian
612-445-3936
Scott County, MELSA

Sherburn Branch
Martin County Library
Sherburn, MN 56171
Lorrie Ufkin, Librarian
507-764-7611
Martin County, Traverse des Sioux

Silver Bay Public Library
Silver Bay, MN 55614
Arlene Bjella, Librarian
218-226-4331
Arrowhead

Slayton Public Library
Slayton, MN 56172
Lavina Lindsley, Librarian
507-836-8778
Plum Creek

Sleepy Eye: Dyckman Free Library
345 West Main
Sleepy Eye, MN 56085
Ruth Johnson, Librarian
507-794-7655
Traverse des Sioux

Southdale-Hennepin: see Edina

South St. Paul Public Library
106 Third Avenue N.
So. St. Paul, MN 55075
Carol Johnson & Alice Jones, Co-Librarians
612-451-1093
MELSA

Southeastern Libraries Cooperating (SELCO)
1500 1st Ave. N.E., Suite 201
Rochester, MN 55901
Raymond P. Ogden, Executive Director
507-288-5513

Spicer Library
Spicer, MN 56288
Nora Fricke, Librarian
612-796-5560
Crow River

Spring Valley Public Library
201 South Broadway
Spring Valley, MN 55975
Joanne Berg, Librarian
507-346-2100
SELCO

Springfield Public Library
502 W. Lincoln
Springfield, MN 56087
Arlene Hartwick, Librarian
507-723-9922
Traverse des Sioux

Staples Public Library
102 6th St.
Staples, MN 56479
Bonnie E. Hammond, Librarian
218-894-2550

Stewartville Public Library
106 E. 1st St.
Stewartville, MN 55976
Kathleen Braun, Librarian
507-533-4902
SELCO

Stillwater Public Library
223 N. 4th St.
Stillwater, MN 55082
Lynne Bertalmio, Librarian
612-439-1675
MELSA

Swanville Branch
Great River Regional Library
Swanville, MN 56382
Louise Hebeisen, Librarian
612-547-2246
Great River

Taylors Falls Public Library
Taylors Falls, MN 55084
Marilyn Rimestad, Librarian

Thief River Falls: see Northwest Regional Library

Tracy Public Library
117 Third St.
Tracy, MN 56175
Lucille Holstein, Librarian
507-629-4011

Traverse des Sioux Library System
100 E. Main
P.O. Box 3446
Mankato, MN 56001
John D. Christenson, Executive Director
507-625-6169

Trimont Branch
Martin County Library
Trimont, MN 56176
Ruth Ekstadt, Librarian
507-639-2571
Traverse des Sioux

Truman Branch
Martin County Library
Truman, MN 56088
Minnie Reinke, Librarian
507-776-7951
Traverse des Sioux

Two Harbors: Carnegie Public Library
4th Ave. & 6th St.
Two Harbors, MN 55616
Elaine Mattsen, Librarian
218-834-3148
Arrowhead

Tyler Public Library
230 N. Tyler
Tyler, MN 56178
Helga Rasmussen, Librarian
507-247-5155

Valley: see Lakeland

Viking Library System
P.O. Box 808
204 N. Cascade
Fergus Falls, MN 56537
David Barton, Director
218-739-2896

Virginia Public Library
215 Fifth Avenue S.
Virginia, MN 55792
Mary Sund, Librarian
218-741-2260
Arrowhead

Wabasha Public Library
168 Alleghany Ave.
Wabasha, MN 55981
Lela Burkhardt, Librarian
612-565-3927
SELCO

Wabasso Public Library
P.O. Box 92
Wabasso, MN 56293
Malanea M. Schueller, Librarian
507-342-5279

Waconia Public Library
233 S. Olive St.
Waconia, MN 55387
Phyllis Wyttenhove, Librarian
612-442-4714
Carver County, MELSA

Wadena Public Library
216 Dayton Avenue S.W.
Wadena, MN 56482
Cathy Edinger, Librarian
218-631-2476
Kitchigami

Waite Park Branch
Great River Regional Library
512 North 3rd Street
Waite Park, MN 56387
Marcella Curtis, Librarian
612-253-9359
Great River

Walker Public Library
P.O. Box 208
Walker, MN 56484
Janice Tanner, Librarian
218-547-1019
Kitchigami

Warren: Godel Memorial Library
Box 115
Warren, MN 56762
Judy Jensen, Librarian
218-745-5465
Northwest

Warroad Public Library
Warroad, MN 56763
Sandra Kotlarz, Librarian
Northwest

Waseca: see LeSueur-Waseca Regional Library

Washington County Library
3825 Lake Elmo Ave. N.
Lake Elmo, MN 55042
James L. Wells, Director
612-777-8143
MELSA

Watertown Public Library
Village Hall
Watertown, MN 55388
Julie Tuominen, Librarian
612-955-2939
Carver County, MELSA

Waterville Public Library
201 3rd St. South
Waterville, MN 56096
Gayle Appel, Librarian
507-362-8462
LeSueur-Waseca, Traverse des Sioux

Watonwan County Library
511 2nd Ave. S.
St. James, MN 56081
Thomas J. Hennen, Jr., Director
507-375-3341 Ext. 278
Traverse des Sioux

Wayzata Community Library
620 Rice St.
Wayzata, MN 55391
Anne Eccles, Librarian
612-473-9721
Hennepin County, MELSA

Welcome Branch
Martin County Library
Welcome, MN 56181
Pat Schultz, Librarian
507-728-8740
Traverse des Sioux

Wells Public Library
131 S. Broadway
Wells, MN 56097
Barbara Stensrud, Librarian
507-553-3702
Faribault Co., Traverse des Sioux

West Concord Public Library
West Concord, MN 55985
Charlotte Nelson, Librarian
507-527-2031
SELCO

West St. Paul Branch Library
40 Emerson Ave. E.
West St. Paul, MN 55118
Kay Brown, Librarian
612-457-8497
Dakota County, MELSA

Western Plains Library System
234 S. First St.
Montevideo, MN 56265
Bob Bosse, Director
612-269-5644

Westonka: see Mound

Wheaton Community Library
901 1st Ave. N.
Wheaton, MN 56296
Laura Schild, Librarian
612-563-8487
Viking

White Bear Lake Branch
Ramsey County Public Library
130 Clark Ave.
White Bear Lake, MN 55110
Phyllis Cohen, Librarian
612-429-0110
MELSA

Wildwood: see Willernie

Willernie: Wildwood Branch
Washington County Library
109 Wildwood Rd.
Willernie, MN 55090
Marlyce Lee, Librarian
612-426-2042
MELSA

Willmar: see Crow River Regional Library

Windom Public Library
444-9th St.
Windom, MN 56101
Mary E. Erickson, Librarian
507-831-3194

Winnebago: Muir Library
36 Main St. N.
Winnebago, MN 56098
Marilyn Chindvall, Librarian
507-893-3196
Faribault Co., Traverse des Sioux

Winona Public Library
151 W. 5th St.
Winona, MN 55987
Barbara Atherton, Librarian
507-452-4582
SELCO

Winsted Library
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